

United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations.

Michele Jeanne Sison, of Maryland, to be Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during her tenure of service as Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations.

Margaret Ann Uyehara, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to Montenegro.

James Peter Zumwalt, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Senegal and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau.

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**Nomination Withdrawn:** Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nomination:

Elizabeth M. Robinson, of Washington, to be Under Secretary of Energy, which was sent to the Senate on January 6, 2014.

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**Messages from the House:** Page S4331

**Measures Referred:** Page S4331

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**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—219) Page S4297

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:46 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Thursday, July 10, 2014. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S4365.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### COLLEGE ATHLETES

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine promoting the well-being and academic success of college athletes, after receiving testimony from Taylor Branch, *The Cartel*, Baltimore, Maryland; William

D. Bradshaw, National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics, Radnor, Pennsylvania; Richard M. Southall, University of South Carolina College Sport Research Institute, Chapel Hill, North Carolina; Mark A. Emmert, National Collegiate Athletic Association, Indianapolis, Indiana; Myron Rolle, Galloway Township, New Jersey; and Devon Ramsay, Red Bank, New Jersey.

### RUSSIA AND DEVELOPMENTS IN UKRAINE

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine Russia and developments in Ukraine, after receiving testimony from Victoria Nuland, Assistant Secretary of State for European and Eurasian Affairs; Daniel L. Glaser, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Terrorist Financing; Derek Chollet, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; and Zbigniew Brzezinski, Center for Strategic and International Studies, and Stephen J. Hadley, RiceHadleyGates, LLC, both of Washington, DC.

### CHALLENGES AT THE BORDER

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine challenges at the border, focusing on the causes, consequences, and responses to the rise in apprehensions at the Southern Border, after receiving testimony from Craig Fugate, Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency, R. Gil Kerlikowske, Commissioner, Customs and Border Protection, and Thomas S. Winkowski, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Immigration and Customs Enforcement, all of the Department of Homeland Security; Mark Greenberg, Acting Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families; Francisco L. Palmieri, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Western Hemisphere Affairs; and Juan P. Osuna, Director, Executive Office for Immigration Review, Department of Justice.

### INDIAN TRIBE LAND BILLS

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine S. 2442, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to take certain land and mineral rights on the reservation of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe of Montana and other culturally important land into trust for the benefit of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe, S. 2465, to require the Secretary of the Interior to take into trust 4 parcels of Federal land for the benefit of certain Indian Pueblos in the State of New Mexico, S. 2479, to provide for a land conveyance in the State of Nevada, S. 2480, to require the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain Federal land to Elko County, Nevada, and to take land into trust for certain Indian tribes, and S. 2503, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to enter into the Big

Sandy River-Planet Ranch Water Rights Settlement Agreement and the Hualapai Tribe Bill Williams River Water Rights Settlement Agreement, to provide for the lease of certain land located within Planet Ranch on the Bill Williams River in the State of Arizona to benefit the Lower Colorado River Multi-Species Conservation Program, and to provide for the settlement of specific water rights claims in the Bill Williams River watershed in the State of Arizona, after receiving testimony from Senators Walsh and Flake; Michael S. Black, Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Llevando Fisher, Northern Cheyenne Tribe, Lame Deer, Montana; Aletha Tom, Moapa Band of Paiutes, Moapa, Nevada; Arlan Melendez, Reno-Sparks Indian Colony, Reno, Nevada; Sherry Counts, Hualapai Tribe, Peach Springs, Arizona; and Mike Canfield, Indian Pueblos Marketing, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

## STRENGTHENING MEDICARE FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

*Special Committee on Aging:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine improving audits, focusing on strengthening the Medicare program for future generations, after receiving testimony from Kathleen King, Director, Healthcare, Government Accountability Office; Andrea Buck, Fellow, Special Committee on Aging; Mindy Hatton, American Hospital Association, Washington, DC.; Chad Janak, Connolly Healthcare, Wilton, Connecticut; Margaret Hambleton, Dignity Health, San Francisco, California; Diana Haramboure, First Coast Service Options, Jacksonville, Florida; Jessica Meeske, American Dental Association, Hastings, Nebraska; Walter J. Gorski, The Gorski Healthcare Group, LLC, Fairfax, Virginia, on behalf of the Medical Equipment Suppliers Association; Steve Stang, CliftonLarsonAllen LLP, Arlington, Virginia; and Alan Weil, *Health Affairs*, Bethesda, Maryland.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 20 public bills, H.R. 5032–5051; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 117; and H. Res. 660, 662, were introduced.

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**Additional Cosponsors:**

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**Report Filed:** A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 661, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5016) making appropriations for financial services and general government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, and for other purposes, and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4718) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify and make permanent bonus depreciation (H. Rept. 113–517).

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**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Bentivolio to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 10:35 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon.

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**Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Reverend Dr. George Dillard, Peachtree City Christian Church, Peachtree City, Georgia.

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**Committee Elections:** The House agreed to H. Res. 660, electing a Member to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives. **Page H5887**

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

**Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act:** Concurred in the Senate amendments to H.R. 803, to amend the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to strengthen the United States workforce development system through innovation in, and alignment and improvement of, employment, training, and education programs in the United States, and to promote individual and national economic growth, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yeas-and-nays vote of 415 yeas to 6 nays, Roll No. 378.

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**Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2015:** The House began consideration of H.R. 4923, making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015. Consideration is expected to resume tomorrow, July 10th.

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Agreed to:

Walorski amendment that increases funding, by offset, for Army Corps of Engineers, Construction by \$500,000;

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